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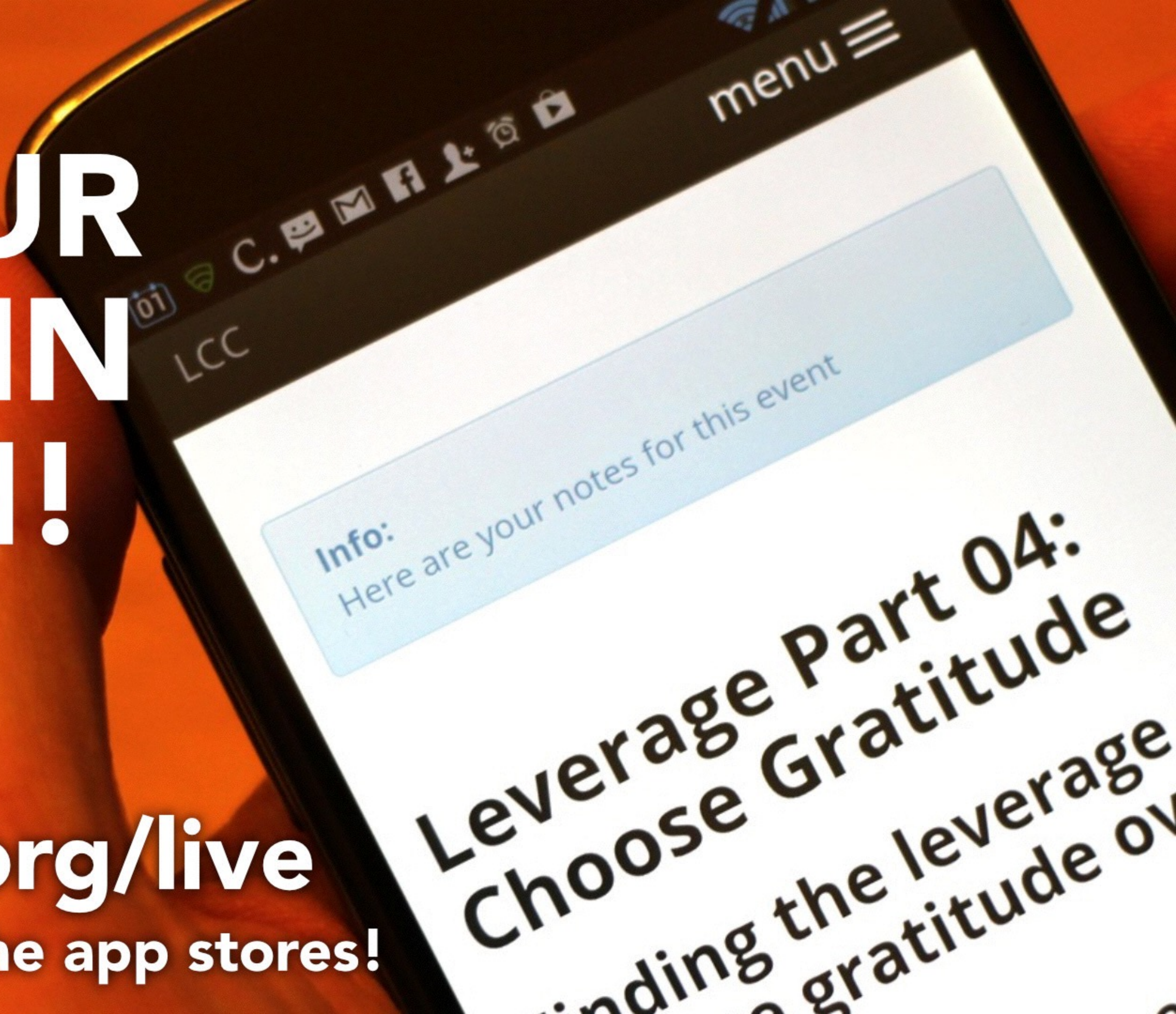


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BIBLE

HOW TO UNDERSTAND THE  
WORLD'S GREATEST BOOK

# What is the Bible?

## The Bible is a library focused on Jesus.

Why can we trust it?  
The Bible was established by  
the resurrection of Jesus and  
transmitted meticulously.





# How can we apply it?

**Jesus > ALL**

**NT > OT**

**Clear > Vague**

**Principles > Situations**

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# Does the Bible suppress women?

**Now the overseer is to be above reproach, faithful to his wife, temperate, self-controlled, respectable, hospitable, able to teach,**

***1 Timothy 3:2 NIV***

**An elder must be blameless, faithful to his wife, a man whose children believe and are not open to the charge of being wild and disobedient.**

***Titus 1:6 NIV***

**I do not permit a woman to teach  
or to assume authority over a man;  
she must be quiet. For Adam was  
formed first, then Eve.**

***1 Timothy 2:12-13 NIV***

# 1 Corinthians 11:3-16



**Barak said to her, "If you go with me, I will go; but if you don't go with me, I won't go."**

**"Certainly I will go with you," said Deborah. "But because of the course you are taking, the honor will not be yours, for the LORD will deliver Sisera into the hands of a woman." So Deborah went with Barak to Kedesh. There Barak summoned Zebulun and Naphtali, and ten thousand men went up under his command. Deborah also went up with him.**

***Judges 4:8-10 NIV***

**When the Sabbath was over, Mary Magdalene, Mary the mother of James, and Salome bought spices so that they might go to anoint Jesus' body. Very early on the first day of the week, just after sunrise, they were on their way to the tomb...**

***Mark 16:1-2 NIV***

**So the women hurried away from the tomb, afraid yet filled with joy, and ran to tell his disciples. Suddenly Jesus met them. "Greetings," he said. They came to him, clasped his feet and worshiped him.**

***Matthew 28:8-9 NIV***



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